



**REQUEST  
FOR  
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)  
TRANSMITTAL**

**MAIL STOP RCE**  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000,  
provides for continued examination of an utility or  
plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995

Application Number	09/869,430
Confirmation Number	2865
Filing Date	June 28, 2001
First Named Inventor	Ryuji IWAKIRI (deceased)
Group Art Unit	1755
Examiner Name	Patricia A. Short
Matter Number	Q65021
Title	THERMOSETTING POWDER COATING COMPOSITION

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

**1. SUBMISSION REQUIRED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

- a. ☐ Previously submitted
- i. ☐ Please enter and consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
- iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_
- b. ☒ Enclosed
- i. ☒ Amendment/Reply 09/16/2003 MGE BREM1 00000138 09869430
- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) 02 FC:1801 750.00 OP
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statements (IDS)
- iv. ☒ Petition for Extension of Time
- v. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

**2. MISCELLANEOUS**

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a  
period of \_\_\_\_\_ months
- b. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

**3. FEES**

A check for the RCE statutory fee of \$750.00 and an extension of time for a second month (\$300.00) are  
attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the  
Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A  
duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

**CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS**

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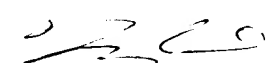
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**SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY**

Name Fang Liu Registration No. 51,283 **RECEIVED**

Signature  Date September 15, 2003 **SEP 22 2003**

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